

**THE AMENDMENT**

**In the Claims:**

22. (New) The method according to Claim 1, wherein said pharmaceutical composition comprises  $P^1$ -(2'-deoxycytidine 5'-)- $P^4$ -(uridine 5'-)tetraphosphate or a pharmaceutical acceptable salt thereof.

23. (New) The method according to Claim 1, wherein said pharmaceutical composition comprises  $P^1$ -(2'-deoxycytidine 5'-)- $P^4$ -(uridine 5'-)tetraphosphate, tetrasodium salt.

24. (New) The method according to Claim 1, wherein said pharmaceutical composition comprises  $P^1$ -(2'-deoxycytidine 5'-)- $P^4$ -(uridine 5'-)tetraphosphate, tetralithium salt or tetrapotassium salt.